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1997 Agricultural Census Highlights

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Total Land in Farms	368,521
Total Cropland	13,677
Average Farm Size	4,236
Avg Value of Farm & Buildings	\$678,285
Market Value of:	
All Farm Products Sold (000)	\$8,363
All Crops Sold (000)	\$797
All Livestock Sold (000)	\$7,566
Average Age of Farmers	52.8

1999 Crops 1/	Acres Harv	Yield	Production	Rank	Livestock 1/	Number	Rank
Corn for Grain, bu.	700	126.4	88,500	91	All Cattle & Calves (1/1/00)	31,000	77
Soybeans, bu.	-	-	-	-	Beef Cows (1/1/00)	16,000	44
Winter Wheat, bu.	NA	NA	NA	NA			
Grain Sorghum, bu.	-	-	-	-			
Oats, bu.	-	-	-	-			
All Hay, tons	10,500	2.4	24,640	81			
Alfalfa Hay, tons	2,400	3.7	8,960	91	Other 1/		
Dry Beans, yld-lbs., prod-cwt.	-	-	-	-	Number of Farms (1999)	90	90
Sunflowers, lbs.	-	-	-	-	Irrigated Acres (1999)	3,000	89
Sugar Beets, tons	-	_	-	-			

WHEELER

1997 Agricultural Census Highlights

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Total Land in Farms	292,780
Total Cropland	121,762
Average Farm Size	1,574
Avg Value of Farm & Buildings	\$582,187
Market Value of:	
All Farm Products Sold (000)	\$126,843
All Crops Sold (000)	\$13,450
All Livestock Sold (000)	\$113,393
Average Age of Farmers	52.2

1999 Crops 1/	Acres Harv	Yield	Production	Rank	Livestock 1/	Number	Rank
Corn for Grain, bu.	30,000	131.5	3,945,000	71	All Cattle & Calves (1/1/00)	110,000	12
Soybeans, bu.	13,200	45.1	595,400	61	Beef Cows (1/1/00)	17,500	41
Winter Wheat, bu.	NA	NA	NA	NA			
Grain Sorghum, bu.	-	-	-	-			
Oats, bu.	NA	NA	NA	NA			
All Hay, tons	46,000	1.6	73,550	33			
Alfalfa Hay, tons	5,600	3.5	19,480	70	Other 1/		
Dry Beans, yld-lbs., prod-cwt.	-	-	-	-	Number of Farms (1999)	185	85
Sunflowers, lbs.	-	-	-	-	Irrigated Acres (1999)	53,000	54
Sugar Beets, tons	-	-	-	-			